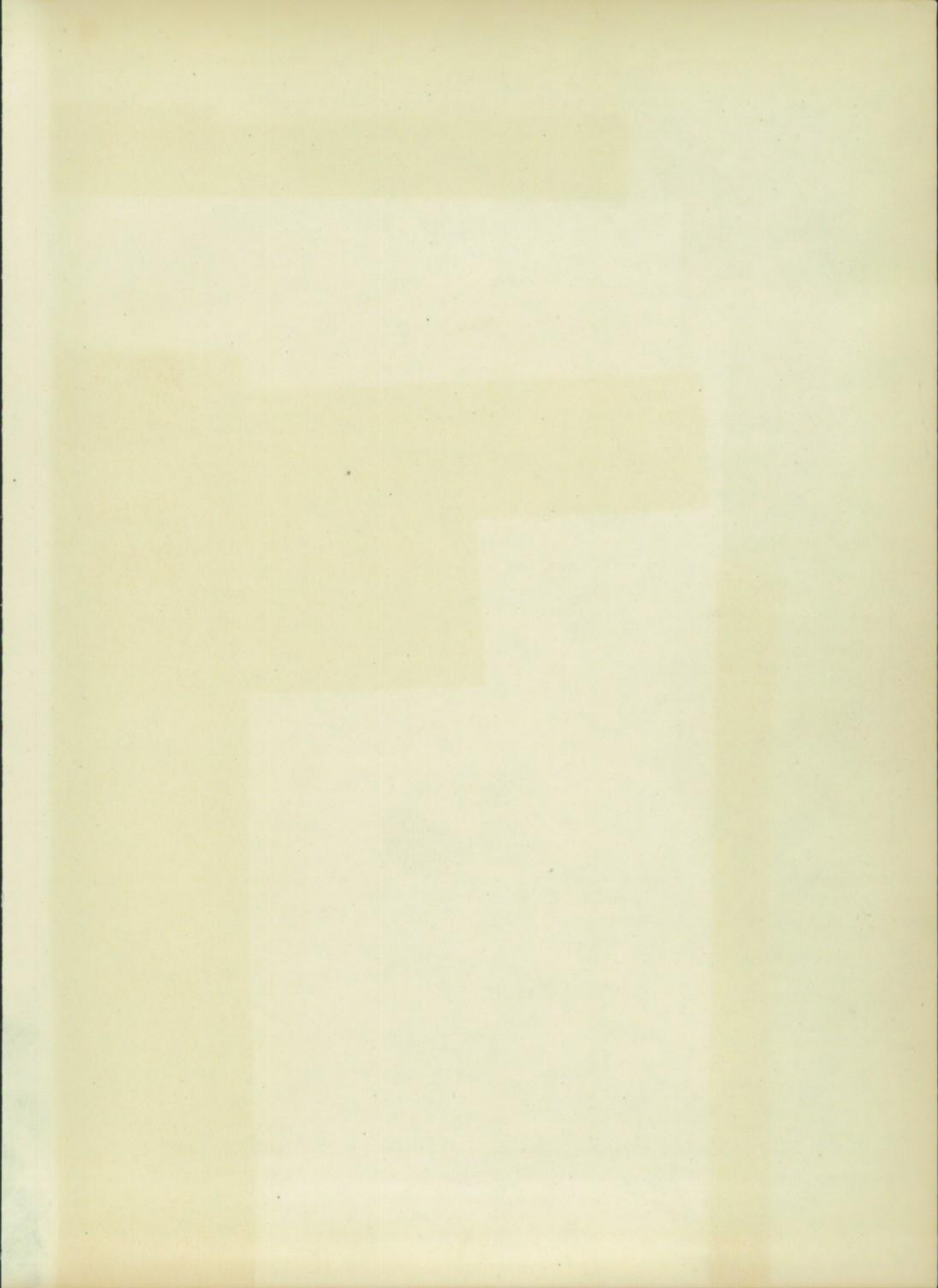
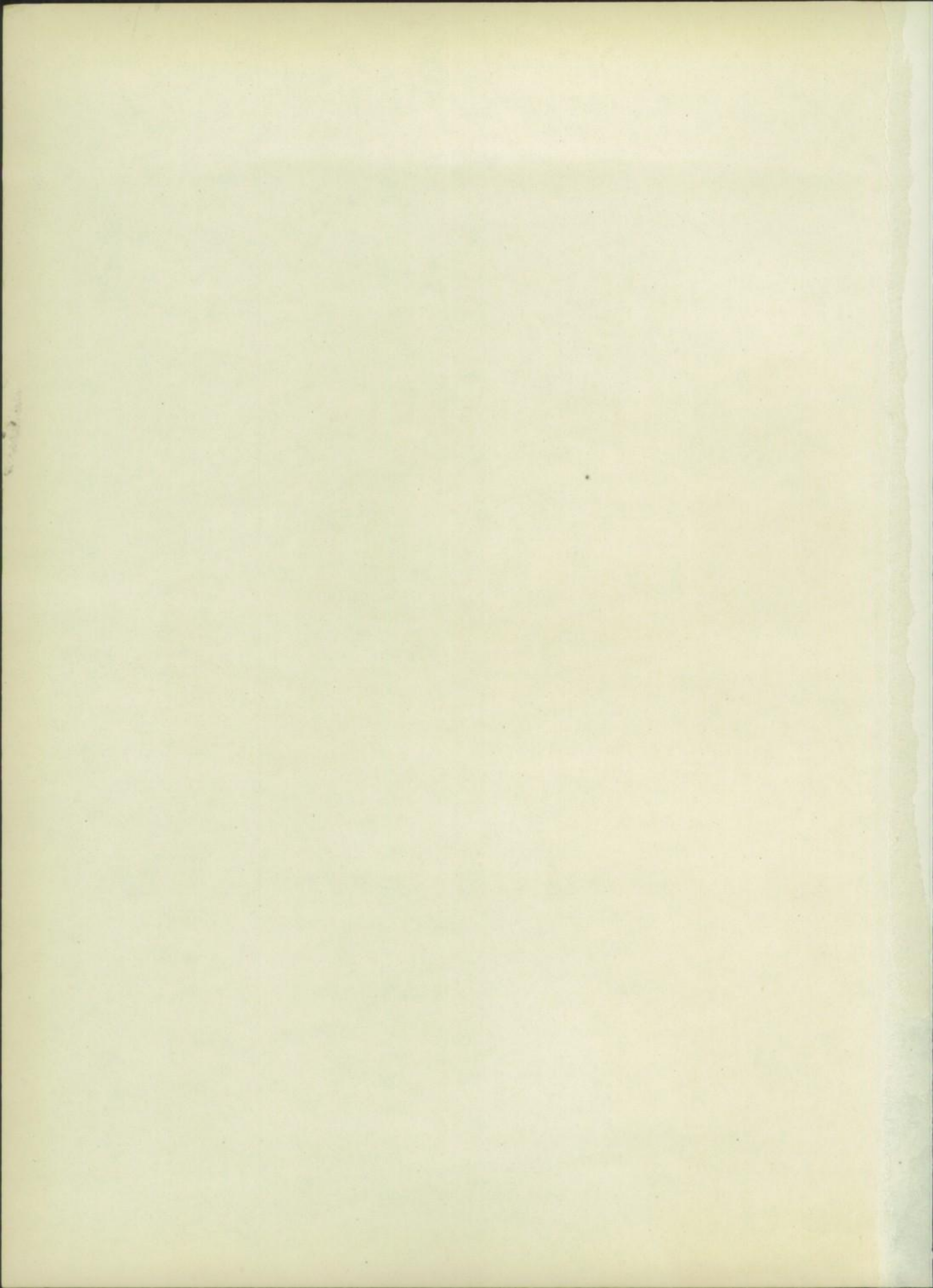


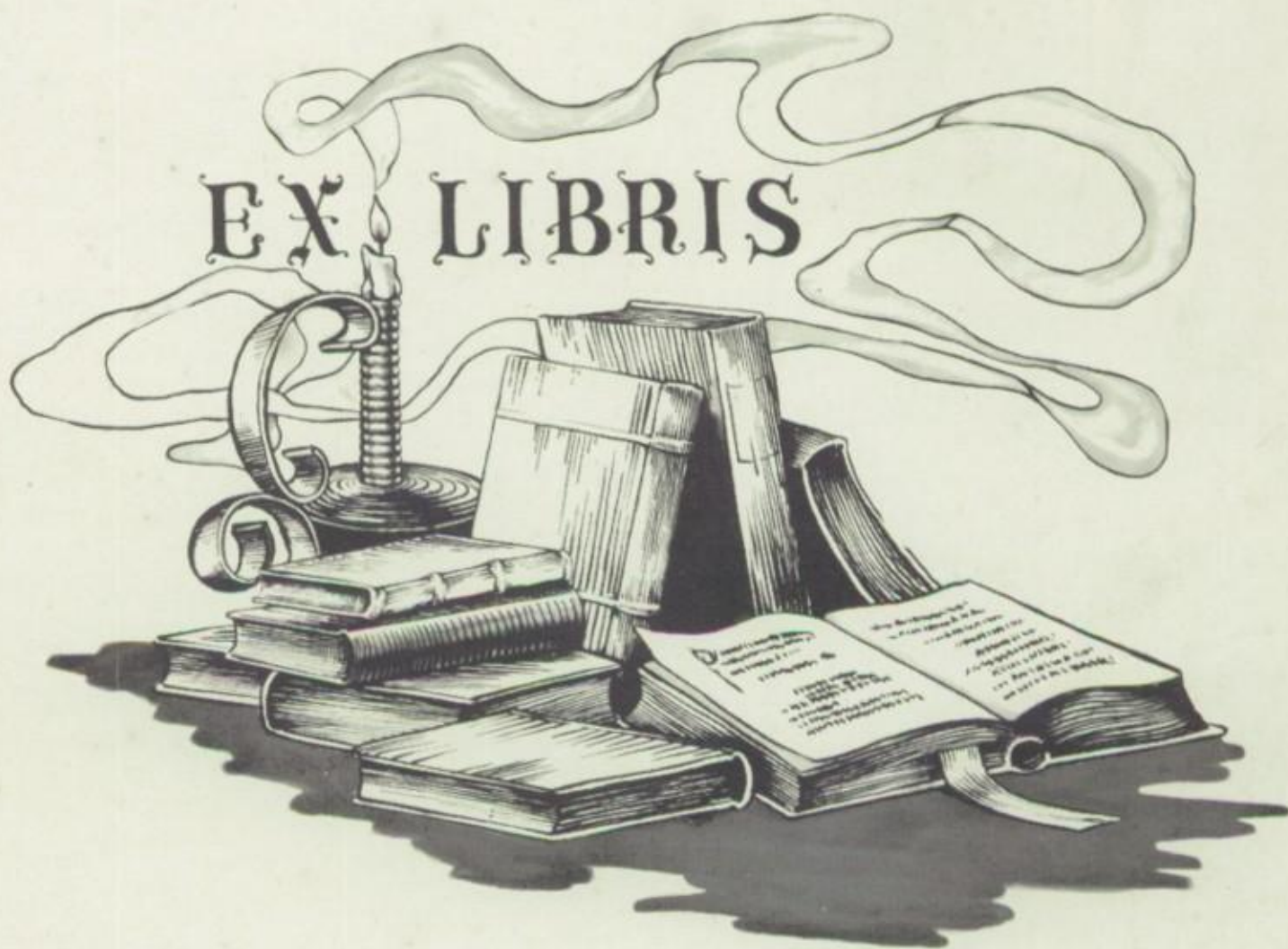


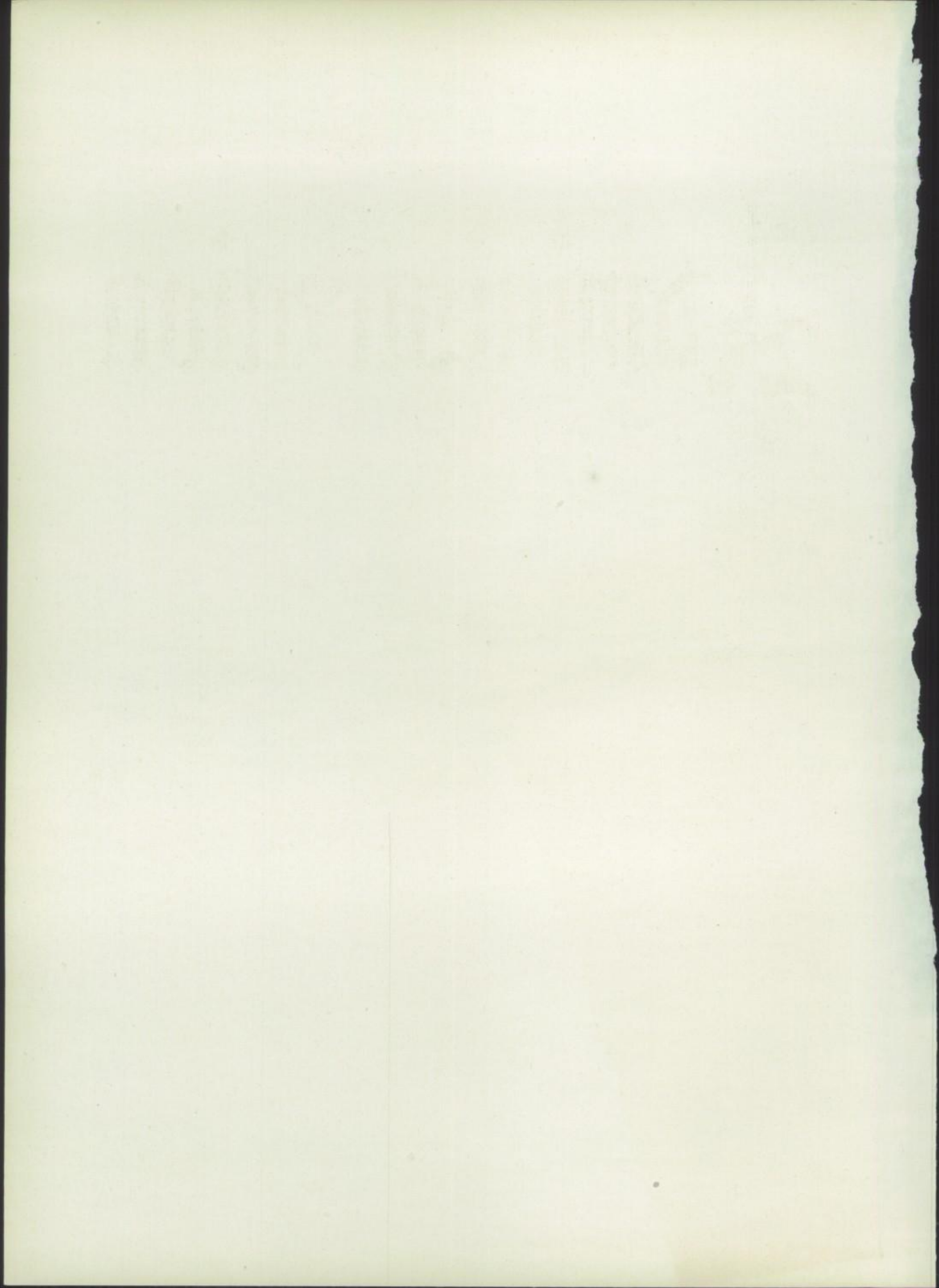
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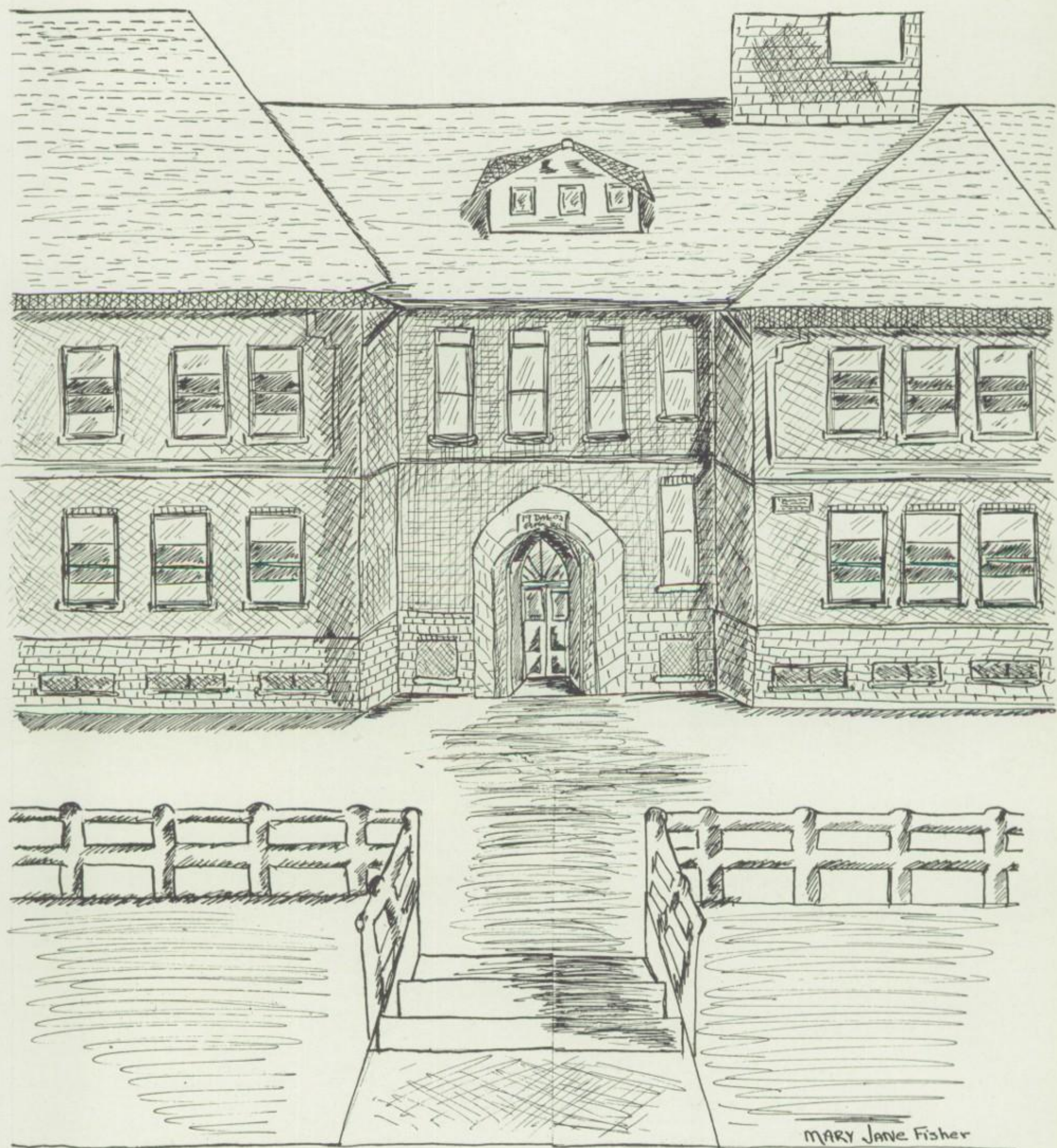


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DEDICATION



The Class of 1953 wishes to dedicate this yearbook to Mr. Wilbert Webber who has taught Shop and Mechanical Drawing in the Dale Public Schools for a total of ten and one-half years.

Mr. Webber's name has always been closely associated with sports at Dale as he has been mentor of the Junior Varsity for the past seven years. It was during the 1951-52 basketball season that the JV's, under Coach Webber's fine instruction, went undefeated through their entire schedule of cage tilts.

In the field of education, Mr. Webber, earned his Bachelor of Science in Education at California State Teachers College and his Master of Arts Degree from Columbia University.

Mr. Webber served for a period of four years in the United States Navy. Previous to his service, he was a Civil Service instructor for five months. At present he is a Lt. (j. g.) of inactive status.



BOARD OF EDUCATION

Roy Wonders, William Rigby, Philip Cook, Fred Geisel,
T. E. Berriman, E. D. Ott



Supervising Principal
E. D. Ott



School Secretary
Joanne Kleinmyer



High School Principal
Lewis L. Clark



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Mr. Vincent L. Hetrick



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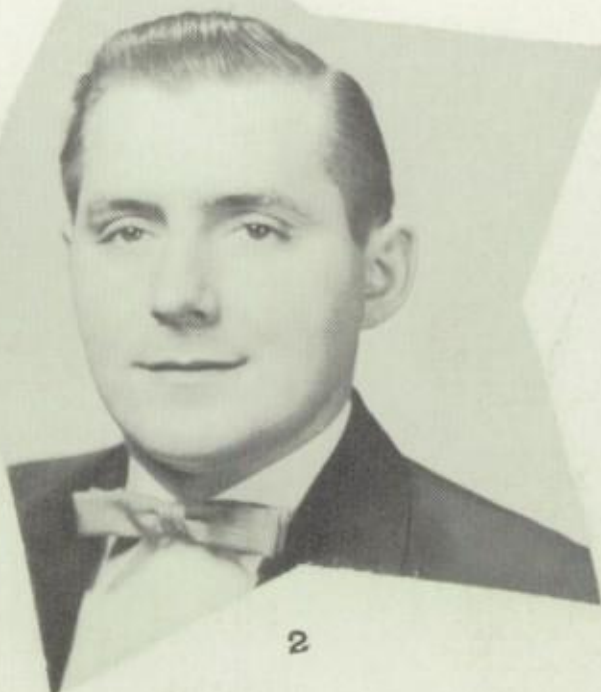
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Mrs. Mary V. Rowland



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Miss Kathryn A. Long



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Mr. Robert C. Andrews



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Mr. Samuel Niles



Miss Long, as Senior Class Advisor, has been of invaluable assistance toward making our Senior year the very successful one it has been. Throughout all the class projects, she has given freely of her time and energy to promote a feeling of good-will and sportsmanship among the students. The members of the Senior Class will be forever indebted to her for her helpfulness.

ADVISORS

As Assistant Sponsor of the Senior Class, Mr. Andrews has been in charge of the boys home room. Although most of his guidance has been directed to the fellows, his valuable assistance has been greatly appreciated by the entire class.





EDITOR-IN-CHIEF

Howard Allen

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Nancy Jo Grumling
Ruth Ankeny

FEATURE EDITOR

Liz Bernat

SPORTS EDITOR

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Ronald Knipple

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Verna Consalvo

ADVISORS

Miss Kathryn A. Long
Mr. Robert C. Andrews

Classes

SENIOR CLASS



First Row--Left to right--Evelyn Potter, Secretary; Howard Allen, President; Dick Hiner, Treasurer; Pat Wiesheier, Vice President.

Second Row--Miss Kathryn Long, Sponsor; Nancy Burns, Charlene Geisel, Nancy Jo Grumling, Monna Momberger, Beverly Simpson, JoAnne Mock, Ruth Ankeny Janet Gindlesperger, Mr. Robert Andrews, Co-Sponsor.

Third Row--Verna Consalvo, Marlene Wilson, Bill Killinger, Nathaniel Simms, Bill Blair, Dick Gerber, Clyde Barringer, Donald Moshgat, Lester Ringler, Elinor High, Liz Bernat.

Fourth Row--Ronald Knipple, Ralph Miller, Fred Zipf, Tom Billick, Paul Lang, Kermit McMeans, Dennis Walters.

Absent when picture was taken -- Don Hall.



Howard Lee Allen

"Winky"

The leader of our class with many a worry,
Always done - - never in a hurry.

Mixed & Boys Chorus 1,2,3,4. .Mixed Octet 4. .
Interclass 3. .Career Club 4. .Craft Club 3. .
Band 1,2,3,4. .Dalton Editor. .Baritone Horn
Soloist-Forensics. .County Band 1. .District
Band 2,3,4. .State Band 3. .Class Play 4. .
Class President 1,2,3,4.



Robert E. Alt

"Bob"

Bob is brilliant, bash-
ful and shy!
Ready to help - - a
regular guy!

Interclass 2,3,4. .
Hunting & Fishing 3. .
Career Club 4.

Ruth J. Ankeny

"Ruthie"

A girl to be trusted, loyal and true,
A go getter and worker, till the job is through.

Girls Chorus 1,2,3,4. .Mixed Chorus 3,4. .
Y-Teens 1,2,3. .Class Play 4. .Band 2,3,4. .
Hi-Herald 3,4--News Editor 4. .Dalton Staff.

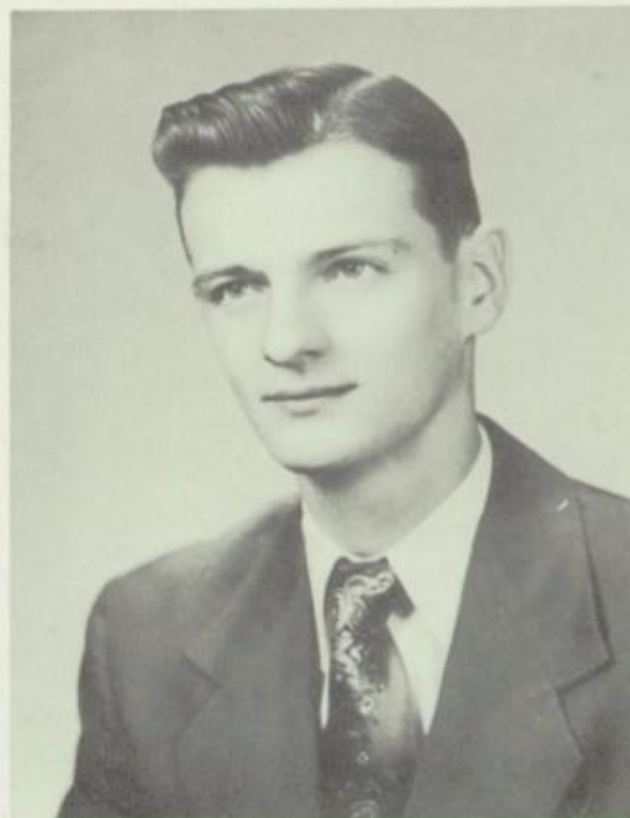


Clyde Barringer, Jr.

"Weeds"

Clyde's grooming and personality smiles,
Attracted girls for miles and miles!

J. V. Basketball 1,2. .Crafts Club 3. .
Career Club 4.



John Bell

"Bell"

Hunting or fishing
is his delight,
As for school? - -
well, its alright!

Hunting and Fishing
Club 3,4. .President 4



Nick Berkich

"Nick"

The lankiest member--over six feet tall,
He's grand in sports cause he tops 'em all!

Boys and Mixed Chorus 2,3,4. .Football 1,2,4.
Varsity Basketball 4. .Interclass 1. .Varsity
Club 4. .Hunting and Fishing Club 3. .J. V.
Basketball 2,3. .Boys Ensemble 3.



Elizabeth Bernat

"Liz"

The "Snooper" of the Press is she,
But just as innocent as can be!

Girls and Mixed Chorus 2,3,4. .Girls Ensemble 3,4
Interclass 2,3,4. .Class Play 4. .Y-Teens 2. .
Band 1,3,4. .Hi-Herald Staff 3,4. .Dalton Staff 4.



Thomas Billick

"Tom"

Tom, our center, is a
very fine lad,
A finer friend just
couldn't be had.

Football 1,2,3,4. .
J.V. Basketball 1, 2. .
Varsity Basketball 3,4. .
Varsity Club 3 4. .Class
Play 4. .Boys Chorus 1.

William A. Blair

"Bill"

"Talkative" discussion? He's always there,
Always more than willing to do his share.

Hunting and Fishing Club 3. .President of
Career Club 4.



Nancy Jean Burns

"Nan"

Twirling the flag? Nancy's the gal!
Friendly and kind, a faithful pal.

Interclass 1,2. .Girls Chorus 2,3,4. .
Y-Teens 1. .Mixed Chorus 3,4. .Vice
President F.H.A. 3. .Band 2,3,4. .
Treasurer of Music Club 4.



Verna Consalvo "Verna"

As our Principal's secretary, Verna's a whiz,
She typed many a letter
and many a quiz.

Mixed Chorus 2,3,4. .
Girls Chorus 1,2,3,4. .
Band 1,2,3,4. .Inter-
class 3. .Y-Teens 1,2. .
Pep Club 4. .Dalton
Staff 4. .F.H.A. Club 3.



Roy J. Erb

"Gubby"

Quiet, sincere, reserved, and shy,
But still--he's a very nice guy!

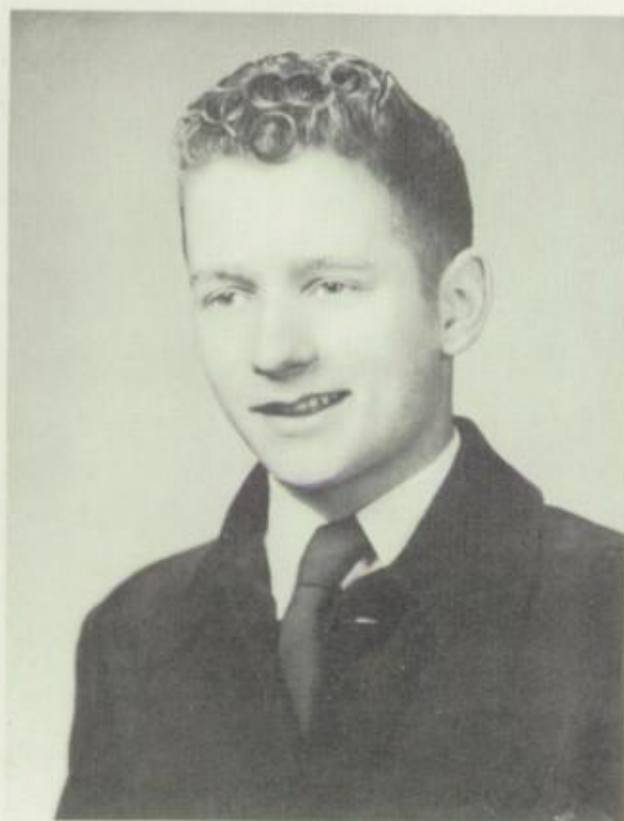
Camera Club 3. .Career Club 4. .Class Play 4. .
Interclass 1,2,3,4.



Charlene Geisel

Charlene's life is filled with joy,
When she's with one certain boy.

Mixed and Girls Chorus 1,2,3,4. .Girls Ensemble
1,2,3. .Class Secretary 1 . .Press Club 3,4. .
Band 1,2,3,4. .Interclass 2,3. .Chorus Accompan-
ist 1,2,3,4. .Mixed Octette 4.



Richard Gerber "Dick"

Now here's a chap who
is on the beam.
His hair makes him a
beautician's dream!

Hunting & Fishing 3. .
Career Club 4.

Janet Gindlesperger

"Gindy"

Janet is tiny, demure and sweet
But goodness me! Can that girl eat?

Girls and Mixed Chorus 1,2,3. . Band 1,2,3,4. .
Pep Club 3,4. . Class Play 4. . Dillion Staff 4.
Y-Teens 1. .County Band 1.



Nancy Jo Grumling

"Nan"

A musician superb! You'll agree.
Modest and willing as can be.

Band 3,4. .Press Club 3,4. .Editor of the
Hi-Herald 4. .Class Play 4. .Mixed and
Girls Chorus 2,3,4. .Chorus Accompanist 3,4. .
Dalion Staff 4. .Forensic Soloist 2,3,4. .
Y-Teens 2.

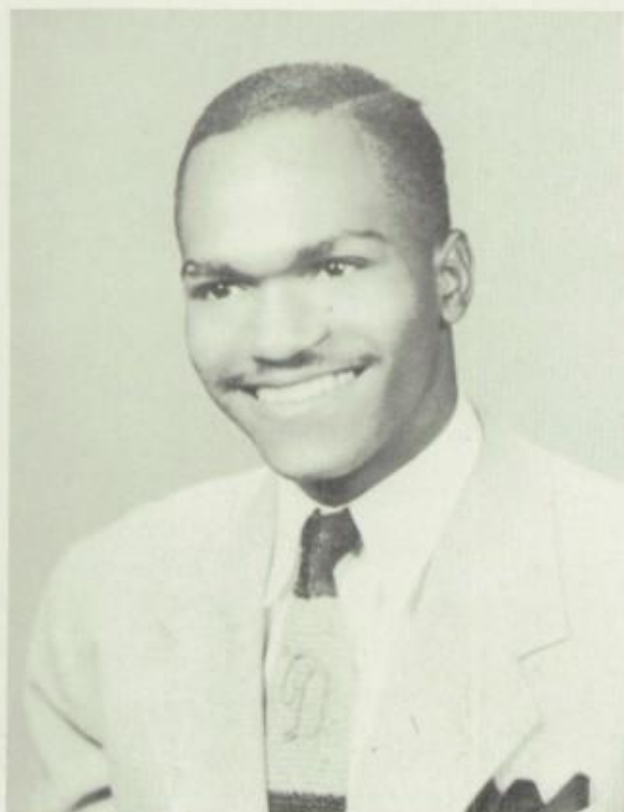


Jack Hale

"Jack"

Our boy Jack is one that
we trust,
But give him a car and
watch his dust!

Mixed Chorus 2,3,4. .
Boys Chorus 2,3,4. .
Football 1,2,3,4. .
Interclass 1,2,3,4. .
Varsity Club 3,4.



Don Hall

"Don"

A "go-getter" lad if there ever was one,
Just ask Don - - Its as good as done.

Boys and Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4. .Mixed Octet 1,2. .
Interclass 1,2,3,4. .Camera Club 1. .Hi-Herald 4. .
Boys Octet 1,2,3,4. .Band 1,2,3,4. .District
Chorus 1,2. .County Chorus 1,2,3.



Elinor High

"Hi"

Elinor's temper has won her renown
Around the school of our fair town.

Girls Chorus 2,3,4. .Mixed Chorus 3,4. . Y-Teens 2
Interclass 1,2,3,4. .Class Play 4. . Band 1,2,3,4.
Hi-Herald



Richard Hiner

"Dick "

Dick, our treasurer,
honest and true,
Keeps our financial
records, and its quite
a few.

Football 2,3,4. .Varsity
Basketball 4. . Class Play
.Class Officer 1,2,3,4..
Interclass 1. .Hunting and
Fishing 3. .Jr. Varsity 2,3
Secretary Varsity Club 4..
Dalton Staff 4. .Band 1

William Killinger

"Bill"

Bill, the hunter, and friend to all
Willing to help--always "on the ball."

J.V. Basketball Mgr. 1,2,3. .Hunting & Fishing
Club 3,4. . Interclass 1,2,3,4. .Varsity Basket-
ball Manager 4.

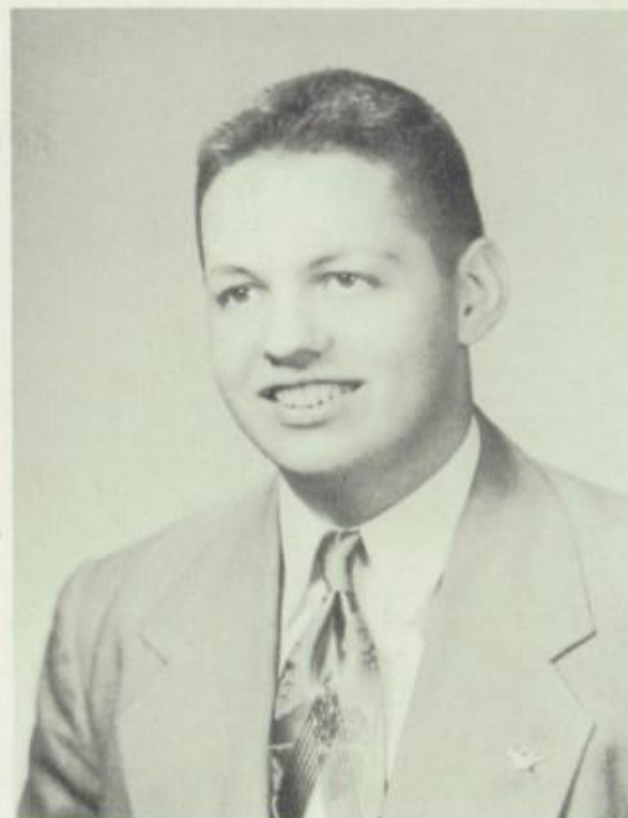


Ronald Knipple

"Ron"

When asked to do any piece of work,
Ronnie's the type that will never shirk!

Football 1,2,3,4. .J. V. Basketball Mgr. 1,2. .
Varsity Club 3,4. .Dalton Staff 4. .Varsity
Basketball Mgr. 3,4.



Paul Lang "Professor"

When Paul's tenor voice
fills the air,
The girls come running
from everywhere.

Crafts Club 4. .Boys
and Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4.
Football 1. .Boys
Ensemble 3. .District
Chorus 4. .Hunting and
Fishing Club 3. .Mixed
Octet 3,4. .Inter-
class 1,2,4.



Kermit McMeans

"Jim"

The guy with the personality plus,
He'll always be an asset to us.

Boys and Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4. .Football 1,2,3,4. .
Basketball J. V. 1,2. .Varsity 3,4. .Varsity
Club 3,4. .Vice Pres. of Varsity Club 4. .Boys
Octet 3,4. .Class Play 4. .Mixed Ensemble 3,4.

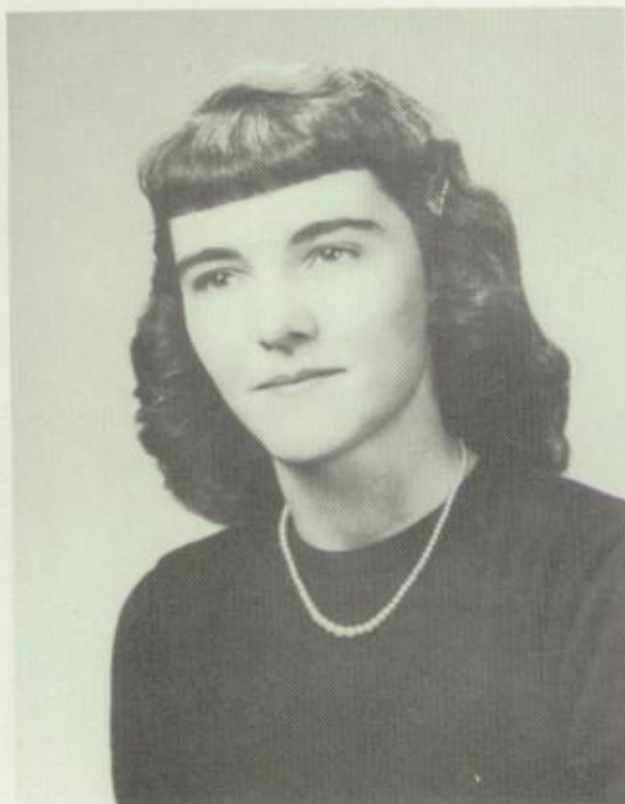


Ralph Miller

"Ralphie"

Ralphie's strength may not be the best
But his wit will certainly pass every test.

Boys Chorus 1. .Interclass 1,2,3,4. .Hunting and
Fishing Club 3. .Career Club 4.



JoAnne Mock

"Jo"

In Shorthand and Typing
JoAnne does excell,
And in everything else,
she rates quite well.

Cheerleader 1,2,3,4. .
Y-Teens 1,2. .Girls and
Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4. .
Interclass 1,2,3,4. .
Pep Club 3,4. .Hi-Herald
Staff 3,4. .Ensemble 4. .
Class Play 4 .

Monna Lee Momberger

For a girl with a sweet, shy kind of smile.
Just look at Monna, for a little while.

Mixed Chorus 2,3,4. .Girls Chorus 1,2,3,4. .
Interclass 1,2,3,4. .Y-Teens 1,2. .Pep Club 4. .
Hi-Herald Staff 3,4.

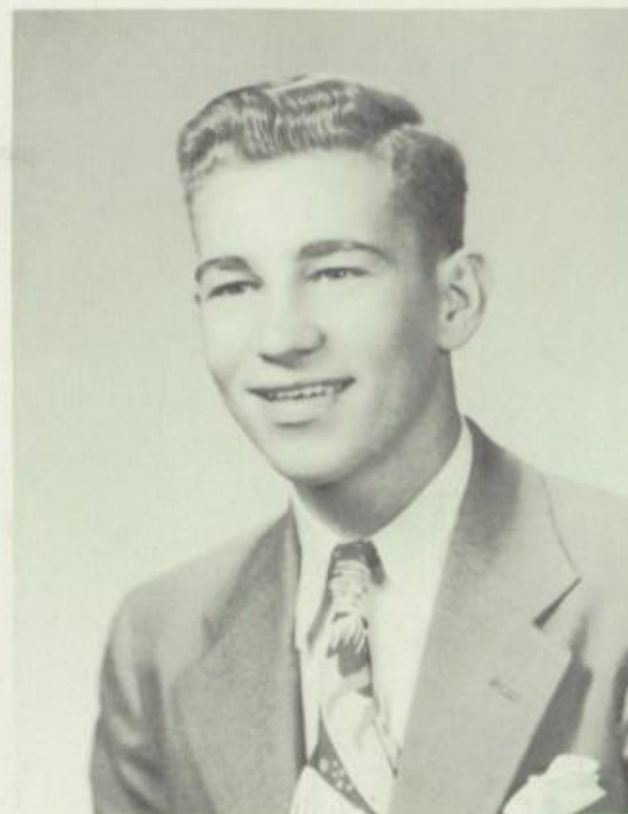


Don Moshgat

"Don"

Don's school career was spent as you know,
Chasing the girls and saying "Aw, Joel!"

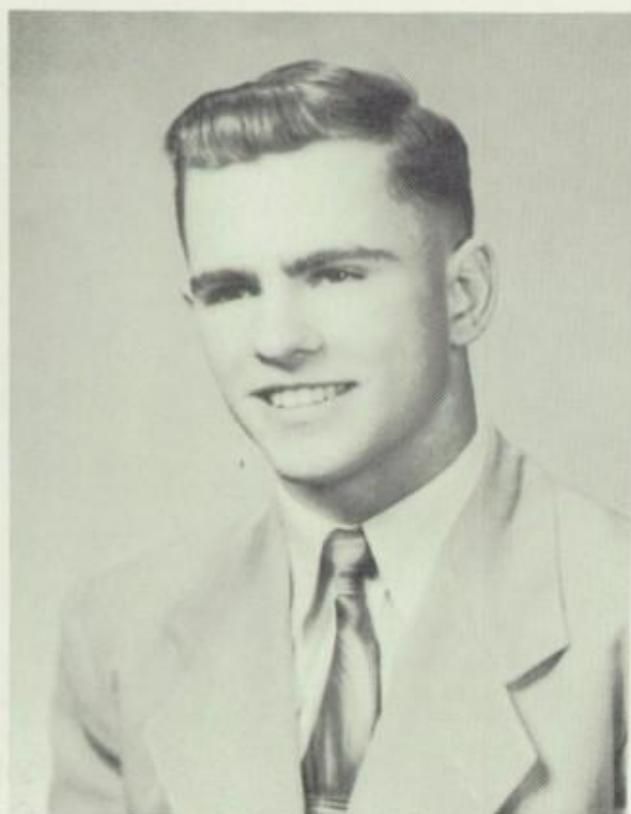
Interclass 1,2,3. .Boys Chorus 1. .Varsity
Basketball 4. .Class Play 4. .Hunting and
Fishing Club 3. .Career Club 4.



Evelyn Potter "Evie"

Evie is our beauty queen,
She's seldom heard, but
always seen!

Cheerleader 1,2,3,4. .
Y-Teens 1,2,3,4. .Girls
Chorus 1,2,3,4. .Mixed
Chorus 2,3,4. .Girls
Ensemble 3,4. .Class
Secretary 2,3,4. .Vice-
President 1. .Pep Club 3,4
Secretary Pep Club 4.



Lester Ringler

"Les"

Here's to Les, so friendly and neat,
Always a smile, for anyone he may meet.

Football 2,3,4. .Boys Chorus 1,2,3,4. .Varsity
Club 3,4. .Varsity Basketball 2,3,4. .J. V.
Basketball 1.



Nathaniel L. Simms

"Nat"

Regardless of the time, its been the rumor,
Nat always has a grand sense of humor.

Boys and Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4. .Football 1,2,3,4. .
Officer Varsity Club 3,4. .Interclass 1,2. .
Varsity Basketball 4. .J. V. Basketball 1,2,3. .
Boys Octet 3,4. .Band 1,2,3,4.



Beverly Simpson "Bev"

When asked to do any
tpe of work,
Beverly will do it and
never shirk.

Cheerleader 1,2,3,4. .
Y-Teens 1,2. .Mixed and
Girls Chorus 1,2,3,4. .
Interclass 1,2,3,4. .
Pep Club 3,4. .Girls
Ensemble 4. .President
Pep Club 4. .Hi-Herald
Staff 3,4.

Dennis Walters

"Denny"

Someday Denny may star at the "Met"
With his voice, that's the least he should get.

Football 2,3,4. .Boys and Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4.



Patricia A. Wiesheier

"Pat"

Its a fact that in class, Pat's a studious gal,
But out of school, she's just Lester's pal!

Girls Chorus 1,2,3,4. .Mixed Chorus 2,3,4. .
Ensemble 3. .Y-Teens Officer 1,2,3,4. .Hi
Herald Staff 3,4. .Class Vice-President 2,4. .
Class Treasurer 3. .Dalion Staff 4.



Marlene Wilson

"Willy"

Willy is a very unpredict-
table lass,
But as a trombonist, she's
first in the class.

Mixed Chorus 2,3,4. .
Girls Chorus 1,2,3,4. .
Girls Ensemble 1,2,3,4. .
Mixed Octet 4. .Class
Play 4. .Hi-Herald 3,4. .
Dalion Staff 4. .Girls
Interclass 1,2,3,4. .
Y-Teens 1. .Band 1,2,3,4. .
County Band 1. .District
Band 3,4. .Forensics
Soloist 4.



Fred Zipf

"Fritz"

Fred's motto is "Why worry?"
There's lots of time--no need to hurry!

Football 1,2,3,4. .J. V. Basketball 1,2,3. .
Varsity Basketball 4. .Mixed Chorus 3,4. .
Boys Chorus 1,2,3,4. .Varsity Club 4. .Hunting
and Fishing Club 3. .Interclass 1,2.

JUNIOR CLASS



First Row--Mr. Lewis Clark, Joanne Pheasant, Wayne Meyer, Nancy Reighard, Dolores Shadle, Delores Swanhart, Robert Friedline, Shirley Ken-singer.

Second Row--Ralph Crist, Norma Smith, John Williams, Murn Miller, Don Mock, Charles Hassell, Darlene Slagle, Don Gerber.

Third Row--William Hiner, Erma Berringer, Jere Reddecliff, Bob Knee, Donna Egolf, Donna Maschue, George Siehl, Marilyn Evans.

Fourth Row--Louis DeLuca, David McMeans, Bob Allen, Jimmy Walters, Leonard McMinn, Ray Zwick, Robert James, Bill Allen, Robert Kinzey.

Absent when picture was taken -- Ona Kay Myers, Sue Cardellino.

SOPHOMORE CLASS



First Row--Mrs. Anne Andrews, Sponsor; Janet Kleinmyer, Eleanor Ferg, Claudette Rheel, Carolyn Friedline, Nancy Geisel, Mildred Botteicher, Nancy Graff, Donna Collins, Mr. Joseph Rhoades, Sponsor.

Second Row--Neva Crist, Mary Fisher, Roberta Hollyhead, Leroy Webb, Jimmy Williams, Kenny Godfrey, Nancy Kinzey, Wanda Albus, Gale Keith, Lila Rae Nolan.

Third Row--Joseph Hamer, Arthur Grumling, Donna Noon, Gwen Evans, Deanna Dickert, Kenny Meyers, Barbara Dunbar, Donna Daley Marlin Rosbaugh, Albert Schmaltz.

Fourth Row--Alice Wilson, Bill Burtnett, Leo Sedlmyer, Roger Stutzman, Jimmy Berkebile, Boyd Brewer, John Grumling, Jack Leonard, Connie Bewak, Paul Cuppett, Don Meyers.

Absent when picture was taken -- Wayne Knipple.

FRESHMAN CLASS



First Row--Mr. Samuel Niles, Sponsor--Howard Fisher, Herb Swanhart, Gary Himes
Tom May, Garth Litzinger, Adonis Miller, Laura Beatty.

Second Row--Donna Costo, Alma Wicknick, Janet Emmel, Barbara Statler, Doris
Berringer, Janet Wilkie, Mercedes Stahr, Barbara Beam, Margaret
Thomas.

Third Row--Larry Frombach, Nancy Pheasant, Yvonne Shuber, Marjorie Gordon,
Barbara Basserman, Dick Costo, Bob Savering, Ronald Nolan, Nancy
Knipple, Marlene Ross, Dianne McClintock, Kenneth Horner, Lee
Marsh.

Fourth Row--Dick Bartlebaugh, Bob Potter, Janet Stonebraker, Gordon Egolf,
George Fisher, Don Berkich, Bill Reddecliff, Faye Reddecliff, Joan
Sedlock, Karl Engelbach, Larry Hilbrecht.

Absent when picture was taken -- Sandra Stevens.

Activities



CRAFTS CLUB

Sponsored by
Mr. Webber



The boys in the Crafts Club continue to put into practice what they have learned in shop class. They work with wood, metal, and leather and can make various articles from each.



PEP CLUB

Sponsored by
Mr. Hetrick

This year there are twenty members in the Pep Club. The members were elected and initiated by the older members. Their main work is the planning of pep meetings, and making posters announcing games. At the end of the year each member receives a Pep Club jacket.



PRESS CLUB

Sponsored by
Miss Long

Each month the members of the Press Club collect gossip, news, sports, features and editorials for the Hi-Herald. The staff of the paper is composed largely of Seniors and Juniors, but there is also a reporter from each class in the club.

This year the Press Club became a member of the Pennsylvania and National School Press Association, and the Quill and Scroll, the honorary society for journalists.

MUSIC CLUB

Sponsored by
Miss Bruno



Do-si-do and away you go!

The Music Club has as its purpose the learning of the different types of dances such as the rumba, waltz, samba, and the polka. They also learn the stories and facts concerning these dances.

F. H. A.

Sponsored by
Mrs. Rowland



These young ladies will someday be the homemakers of America, and because of Mrs. Rowland's able guidance and advice they will qualify for their jobs. During club periods, the girls of the F.H.A. learn cooking, sewing, decorating and many other general homemaking activities.



LIBRARY CLUB

Sponsored by
Mrs. Nelson

The purpose of the Library Club is to teach the girls the different jobs and functions of a librarian. The girls select new books for the library, date outgoing books, collect fines, and keep all books in good and proper order.



CAREER CLUB

Sponsored by
Mr. Niles

The Career Club secures information on any job, college, or profession in which a student may be interested; it discusses the different professions and the qualifications needed for them; then they secure aptitude tests for students to take in order to test their knowledge of the varied subjects.

It is hoped that in time this club may be a Placement Bureau for a student desiring jobs after high school.

VARSITY CLUB

Sponsored by
Mr. Andrews



The Varsity Club is composed of the lettermen of Dale High School. In order to join, a boy must have earned his "D" in either football or basketball.

The boys discuss any sports events that have taken place or those in the future, then they plan and carry out activities which will enable them to get their Varsity jackets.

HUNTING & FISHING

Sponsored by
Mr. Rhoades



The members of this club discuss their different experiences in hunting and fishing, types of equipment, and the laws governing these sports. Mr. Rhoades, an ardent sportsman, takes the club for hikes and explains any questions they may have about hunting and fishing.



JR. DRAMATICS

Sponsored by
Mr. Crawford

The play's the thing! Each club period the members of the Dramatic Club discuss plays and all the different phases of the theater. They read plays and prepare them for assembly programs



Y-TEENS

Sponsored by

Mrs. Anne Andrews

The members of the Y-Teens are affiliated with the Y.W.C.A. and their activities and events are planned by this organization. At their meetings they discuss coming events of the Y.W.C.A. and their participation in these activities.

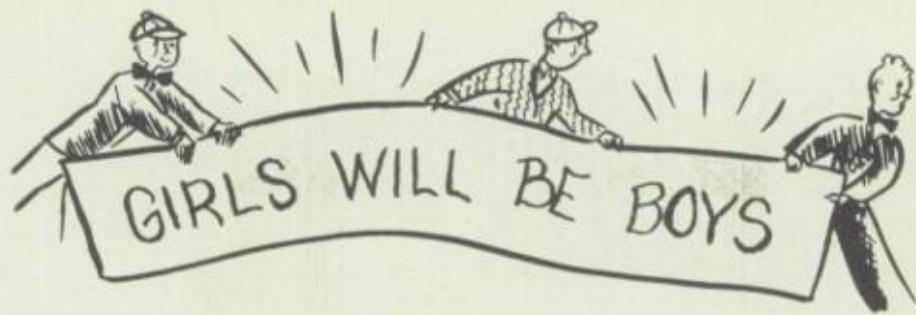


KNITTING CLUB

Sponsored by

Mrs. Lillian Liggett

Knit 1, Pearl 2, this is what the Knitting Club does each club period. The three girls in this club knit mittens, pot holders, and scarves for themselves. Mrs. Liggett also makes and sells candy to help them pay for their yarn.



CLASSES



HOME ECONOMICS



OFFICE PRACTICE



PHYSICS



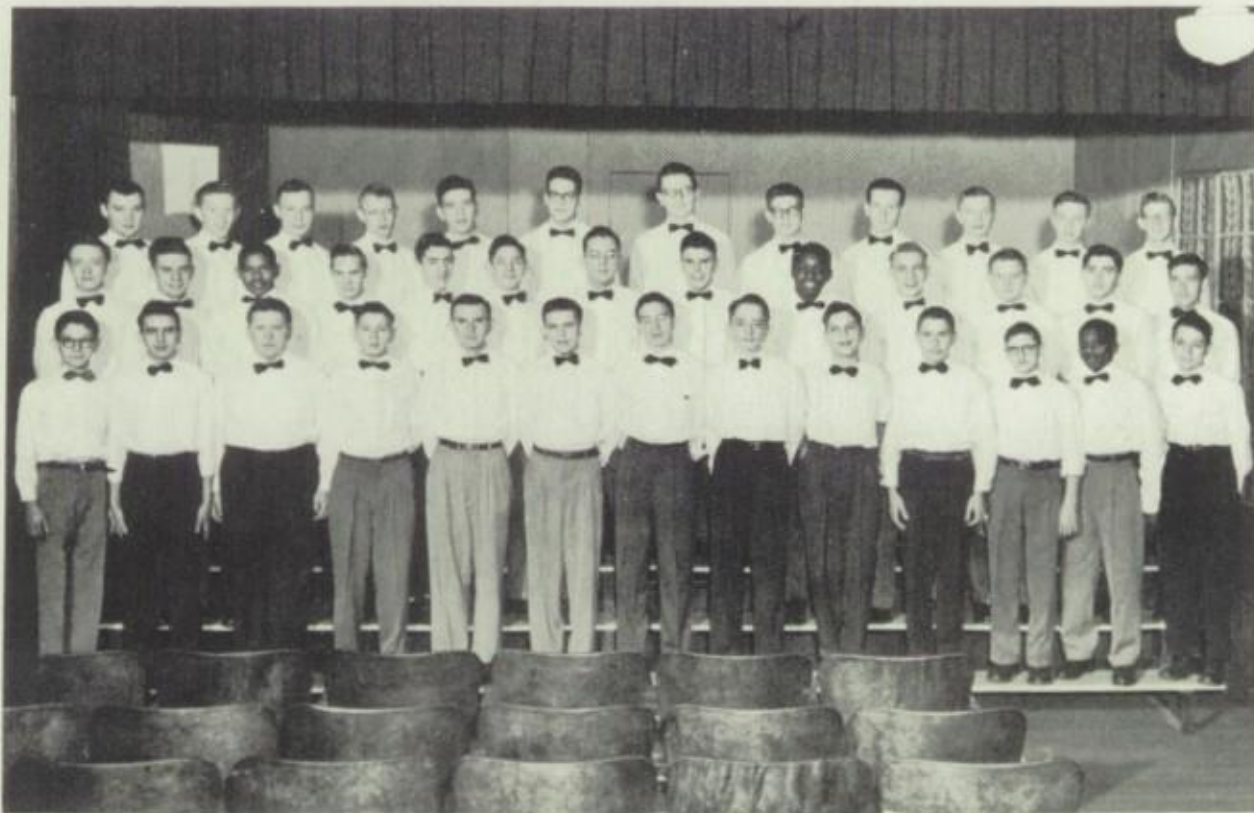
SOLID GEOMETRY

DANCES





GIRLS CHORUS



BOYS
CHORUS



MIXED CHORUS

GIRLS CHORUS

First Row--Eleanor Ferg, Janet Kleinmyer, Nancy Graff, Laura Beatty, Claudette Rheel, Carolyn Friedline, Mildred Botticher, Donna Costo, Nancy Burns, Donna Collins, Shirley Kensinger.

Second Row--Pat Wiesheier, Janet Wilkie, Ruth Ankeny, Barbara Beam, Roberta Hollyhead, Neva Crist, Yvonne Shuber, Gale Keith, Nancy Geisel, Delores Swanhart, Janet Emmel, Charlene Geisel, Joanne Pheasant, Nancy Jo Grumling, Alma Wicknick.

Third Row--Mary Fisher, Mercedes Stahr, Delores Shadle, Nancy Knipple, Monna Momberger, Evelyn Potter, Doris Berringer, Donna Noon, Marlene Ross, Donna Daley, Verna Consalvo, JoAnne Mock, Barbara Statler, Nancy Reighard, Nancy Kinzey.

Fourth Row--Marjorie Gordon, Liz Bernat, Erma Berringer, Gwen Evans, Elinor High, Alice Wilson, Donna Maschue, Donna Egolf, Faye Reddecliff, Janet Stonebraker, Connie Bewak, Joan Sedlick, Darlene Slagle, Beverly Simpson, Dianne McClintock, Dianna Dickert.

BOYS CHORUS

First Row--Tom May, Jimmy Williams, Arthur Grumling, Ralph Crist, Karl Englebach, Bob Savering, Kenny Meyers, Gordon Egolf, Marlin Rosbaugh, Kenny Godfrey, Wayne Meyer, Adonis Miller, Leroy Webb.

Second Row--Dick Bartlebaugh, Ronnie Nolan, Murn Miller, George Fisher, Don Meyers, George Siehl, Jack Hale, Paul Cuppett, Nat Simms, Bob Knee Bob Potter, Don Mock, Charles Hassell.

Third Row--Jim McMeans, David McMeans, John Grumling, Howard Allen, Jimmy Walters, Boyd Brewer, Ray Zwick, Jimmy Berkebile, Bob Allen, Bill Allen, Leo Sedlmeyer.

Absent when picture was taken--Don Hall, Dennis Walters.

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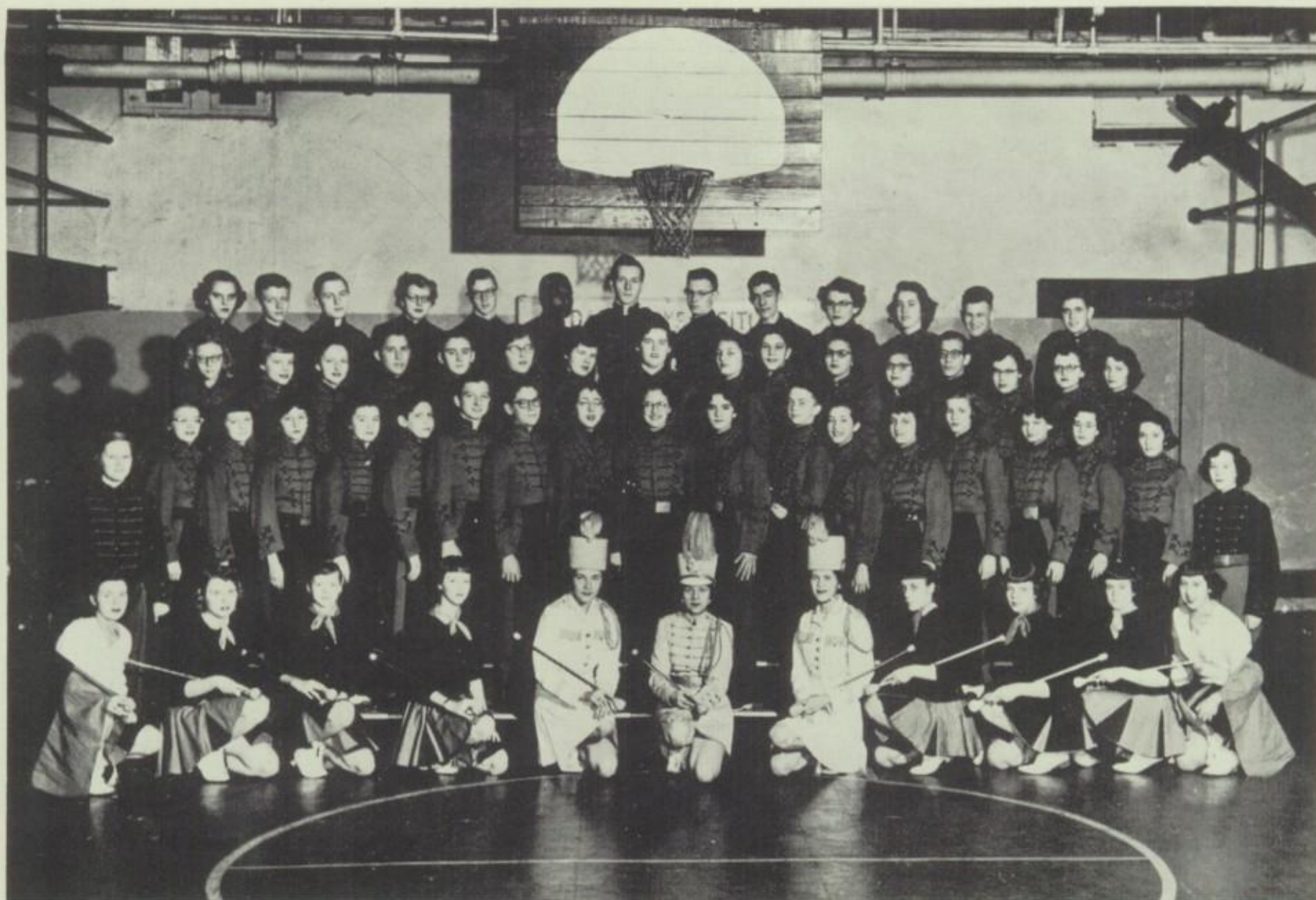
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Second Row--Nancy Graff, Gale Keith, Monna Momberger, Beverly Simpson, Donna Daley, Elinor High, Alice Wilson, Donna Maschue, Donna Egolf, Erma Berringer, Liz Bernat, Darlene Slagle, Evelyn Potter, JoAnne Mock, Donna Noon.

Third Row--Carolyn Friedline, Verna Consalvo, Ronnie Nolan, Murn Miller, Don Meyers, George Siehl, Jack Hale, Paul Cuppett, Nat Simms, Marlin Rosbaugh, Kenny Godfrey, Ralph Crist, Wayne Meyer.

Fourth Row--Jim McMeans, John Grumling, Howard Allen, Ray Zwick, Jimmy Walters, Boyd Brewer, Jimmy Berkebile, Bob Allen, Bill Allen, Leo Sedlmeyer, Don Mock, Charles Hassell.

Absent when picture was taken--Don Hall, Dennis Walters.



First Row--Nancy Burns, Marlene Wiegand, Nancy Knipple, Jackie Shendow, Darlene Slagle, Delores Swanhart, Norma Smith, Mary Jane Hogan, Mercedes Stahr, Beverly Ling, Verna Consalvo.

Second Row--Claudette Rheel, Patsy James, Barbara Ferg, Sandra Cardellino, Janet Kleinmeyer, Fred Dimpfl, Kenny Meyers, Tom May, Barbara Statler, Yvonne Shuber, Elaine Gasbarro, Dahl Frombach, Cindy Murray, Shirley Kensinger, Carolyn Friedline, Peggy Allen, Carol Pheasant, Mary Gasbarro, Mildred Botteicher.

Third Row--Janet Wilkie, Sarah Geisel, Nancy Geisel, Kenny Godfrey, Robert Cale, Judy High, Elinor High, Marlene Wilson, Judy Constable, Marlin Rosbaugh, Donna Noon, Nancy Kinzey, Bob Hassell, Nancy Jo Grumling, Charlene Geisel, Neva Crist.

Fourth Row--Donna Maschue, Jerry Reddecliff, Jimmy Allen, Faye Reddecliff, Leo Sedlemeyer, Don Hall, Jimmy Berkebile, Howard Allen, Don Meyers, Janet Stonebraker, Alice Wilson, William Stonebraker, Bobby Ott.

Absent when picture was taken--John Bernardinelli, Billy Godfrey, Charles Clawson, Nat Simms, Margie Gordon, Karl Englebach, Wayne Meyer, George Siehl, Bob Allen, Bill Allen, Liz Bernat, David High, Martha Grayson, Russell Meyers.





ENSEMBLE

First Row--Shirley Kensinger, Janet Kleinmeyer, Janet Wilkie, Delores Swanhart, Yvonne Shuber, Barbara Statler, Eleanor Ann Ferg.

Second Row--Doris Berringer, Margie Gordon, JoAnne Mock, Nancy Kinzey, Dianne McClintock, Verna Consalvo.

Third Row--Evelyn Potter, Donna Noon, Liz Bernat, Erma Berringer, Janet Stonebraker, Alice Wilson, Donna Daley, Darlene Slagle, Beverly Simpson.

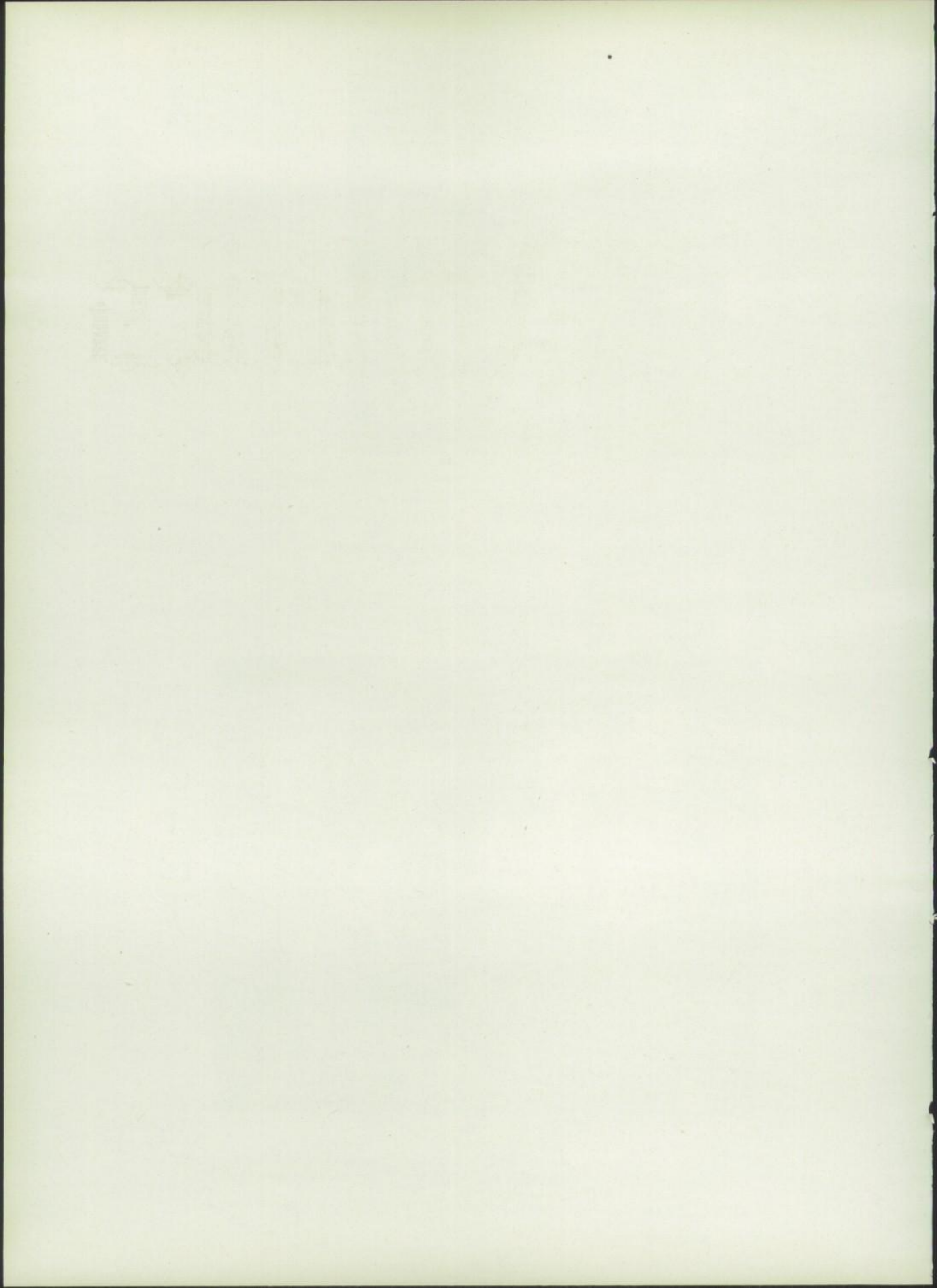


OCTET

First Row--Charlene Geisel

Second Row--Nancy Jo Grumling, Marlene Wilson, Nancy Geisel

Third Row--Don Hall, Paul Lang, Dennis Walters, Howard Allen



Athletics

The word "Athletics" is written in a black, ornate Gothic script. The initial capital letter 'A' is particularly decorative, featuring intricate floral and scrollwork flourishes that extend upwards and downwards from the letter itself.



First Row--Ralph Crist, Kermit McMeans, Jimmy Walters, Louis DeLuca, Lester Ringler.

Second Row--Mr. Andrews, Dick Hiner, Ray Zwick, Dennis Walters, Tom Billick, Fred Zipf, Jack Hale, Nat Simms, Bill Hiner.

Third Row--Frank Miller, Bob Allen, Bob James, Dave McMeans, Nick Berkich. Len McMinn, Ron Knipple, George Siehl, Wayne Meyer.

Fourth Row--Ron McMeans, Bill Allen, Lee Marsh, Bob Potter, George Fisher, Murn Miller, Bob Saverling, Joe Hamer.

This year's squad, which consisted of ten lettermen, found themselves splitting an 8 game slate with 4 victories and 4 defeats. The Raiders started off their season with a 33 - 6 loss to Armagh, spread their wins and losses evenly in the middle of the slate, and ended the season with a loss to our most bitter sports rival --Southmont-- in an almost unbelievable exhibition. Southmont, who hadn't won a game the entire season, defeated the Raiders 33-27, even though Dale had scored 25 first downs to none for the Tigers.

Despite the record of the team, they consistently played good, hard, aggressive football, scoring 113 points to 111 for their opponents.

MR. ANDREWS

Mr. Andrews is a comparative new comer to the scholastic football season. This is only his second year with the Purple Raiders, and, we of the Class of '53, want to wish him a great deal of success with the Raider gridiron team of the future.

RAIDER RESULTS

6	Armagh	33
7	Laurel Valley	0
14	Blacklick	0
26	Montgomery	39
19	Pine Township	6
14	Replogle	6
0	Beaverdale	27
27	Southmont	33



Kneeling--Ron Knipple, William Killinger

Standing Left to Right--Lester Ringler, Nat Simms, Kermit McMeans, Fred Zipf
 Len McMinn, Nick Berkich, Tom Billick, Dick Hiner, Louis DeLuca,
 Don Moshgat, Mr. Hetrick.

Although the Raiders started what looked like a very promising season by defeating Stonycreek 38-37, and Armagh 38-34, they lost the next two and started what turned out to be a very see-saw season by splitting a 15 game slate with 8 victories and 7 defeats. One of the most impressive games of the season was the hard fought game with the league-leaders--Southmont Tigers. Although the Raiders lost this game, 46-43, they had the satisfaction of knowing that they played hard and in some periods of the game kept it tied and even went ahead of the Tigers. The Raiders closed their season with 55-49 victory over Beaverdale.

This year's squad consisted of eight Seniors and two Juniors, which means that only two lettermen will be returning next year, but with some of the fine talent moving up from the Junior Varsity, next year's season should be very successful.

The Raiders scored a total of 748 points to 658 of their opponents. Dick Hiner led the Raiders with 119 points, with Nick Berkich scoring second with 112.

VARSITY RESULTS

Stonycreek	37	Dale	38	Armagh	43	Dale	39
Armagh	34	Dale	38	Laurel Valley	57	Dale	47
Laurel Valley	44	Dale	42	Wilmore	55	Dale	50
Wilmore	53	Dale	50	Blacklick	35	Dale	57
Blacklick	39	Dale	44	Southmont	46	Dale	43
Southmont	55	Dale	39	Vintondale	39	Dale	72
Vintondale	31	Dale	79	Beaverdale	49	Dale	55
Beaverdale	46	Dale	51				
				Totals	658		748



First Row--Joe Hamer, Ralph Crist, Paul Cuppett, Jimmy Walters, Dave McMeans, Murn Miller, Bill Hiner.

Second Row--Mr. Webber, Bill Burknett, Bob Allen, Boyd Brewer, Bob Knee, Kenny Meyers, Larry Frombach.

Third Row--Frank Miller, Dick Bartlebaugh, George Fisher, Bob Potter, Kenny Godfrey.

The "Little Raiders" of Dale High School played a very successful season this year by winning 11 games out of 16. The Junior Varsity took their first defeats in two years when they lost to Southmont twice and Beaverdale once in league action. In non-league action the Raiders lost to the Ferndale Junior Varsity 33-30

The team had a total of 561 points to 410 for their opponents. Jim Walters was high scorer for them this year with 141 points. Paul Cuppett followed with 113.

In past years the purpose of the Junior Varsity was to train boys to fill the vacancies left by graduating seniors. This year's squad had six veterans returning with six moving up to the varsity. The Junior Varsity has proven their ability during recent years as well as this year through hard work and consistent victories. The Class of '53 is sure they will keep up this tradition and will continue to make their school proud of them. We wish to congratulate Mr. Webber, who has been J. V. coach for the past seven years, and to wish both he and his teams of the future a great deal of success.

JUNIOR		VARSITY		RESULTS			
Stonycreek	21	Dale	30	Armagh	21	Dale	26
Armagh	21	Dale	44	Laurel Valley	18	Dale	32
Laurel Valley	25	Dale	38	Wilmore	24	Dale	50
Wilmore	33	Dale	39	Blacklick	25	Dale	55
Ferndale	33	Dale	30	Southmont	57	Dale	24
Blacklick	8	Dale	48	Vintondale	26	Dale	44
Southmont	37	Dale	32	Beaverdale	17	Dale	24
Vintondale	14	Dale	45				
Beaverdale	30	Dale	24				
				Totals	410	585	



CHEERLEADERS

Sue Cardellino

Evelyn Potter

JoAnne Mock

Beverly Simpson

Donna Daley



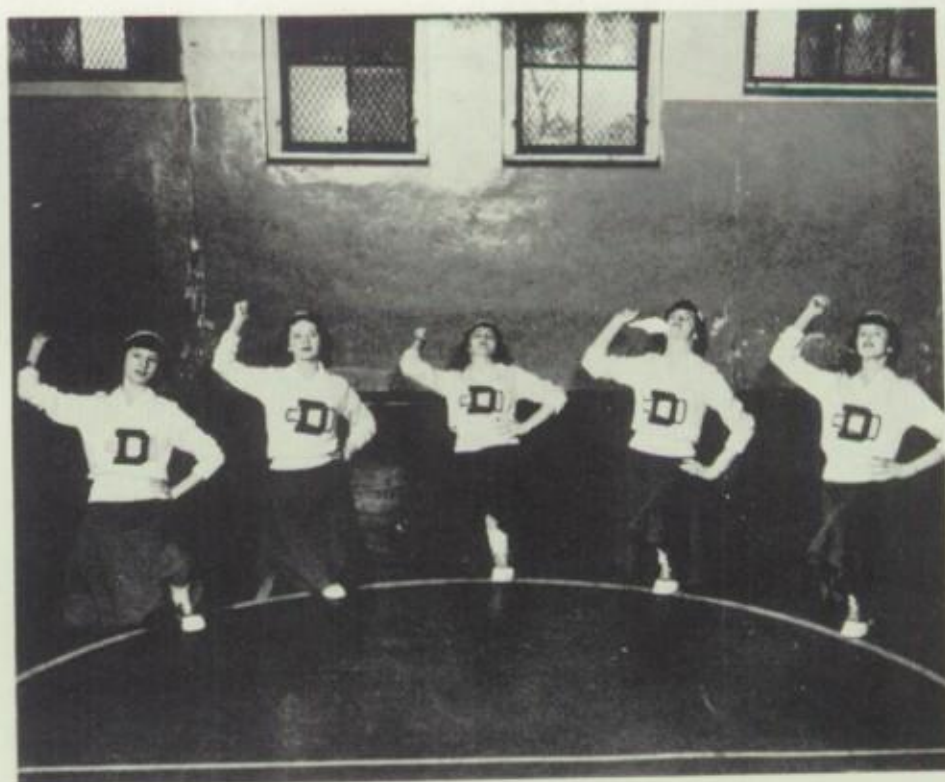
PURPLE RAIDERS

Purple Raiders, do your best,

R - A - I - D - E - R - S

Show your team what you can do

Pep up, Team, we're all for you!



INTERCLASS



GIRLS INTERCLASS

First Row--Evelyn Potter, Elinor High, Monna Momberger

Second Row--JoAnne Mock, Beverly Simpson

Absent when picture was taken --
Liz Bernat

BOYS INTERCLASS

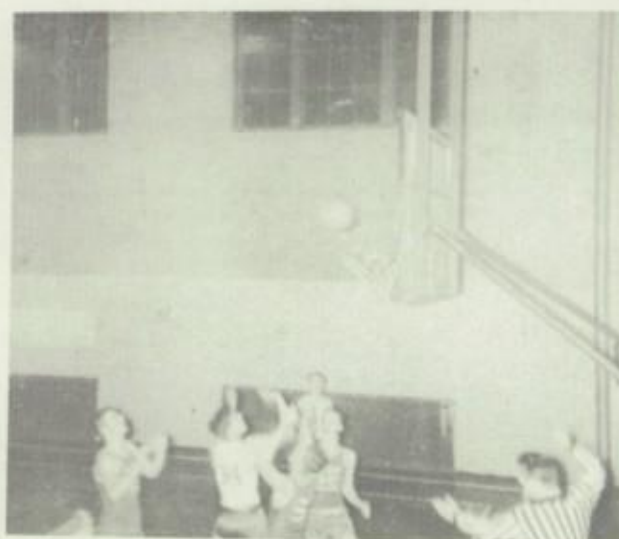
Kneeling--Nat Simms, Clyde Barringer.

Standing--Bill Blair, Jack Hale, Roy Erb, Bob Alt, and Ralph Miller.

Absent when picture was taken--
Bill Killinger
Dennis Walters



ACTION



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A large, ornate initial 'F' in a blackletter font, featuring a decorative flourish that extends vertically downwards from the stem of the letter.

LAST WILL

We, the class of 1953, being of sound mind (?), do hereby publish this our first and last will and testament:

We give Howard Allen's bar bells to Bob Friedline

Ruth Ankeny's helpfulness has been willed to Alice Wilson.

We give Ray Barringer's tardiness to Freddie Dimpfl.

Nick Berkich's height has been given to Ike Crist.

To Gale Keith we will Liz Bernat's neatness.

Nancy Jo Grumling's versatility to Yvonne Shuber.

We give Kermit McMean's physique to Jimmy Reddecliff.

Fred Zipf's walk to Ron Nolan.

To Leonard McMinn we give Roy Erb's intellectual looks.

JoAnne Mock's hair goes to Cindy Murray.

Beverly Simpson's peppiness is willed to Barbara Statler.

Janet Gindlesperger's shortness to Linda Lang.

Bill Blair's vocabulary to Boyd Brewer.

Evelyn Potter's petiteness to Faye Reddecliff.

Marlene Wilson's trombone to Tom May.

Pat Wiesheier's bluntness goes to Jackie Shendow.

Verna Consalvo's giggle to Delores Swanhart.

John Bell's blue eyes to Ray Zwick

To Audrey Metzgar we give Bob Alt's brain.

We give Tom Billick's galoshes to anyone who wants them.

To Nancy Graff we give Charlene Geisel's voice.

Don Hall's tall tales to David McMeans

Dick Hiner's friendliness to Jere Reddecliff.

To Margie Gordon we give Elinor High's gossiping ability.

Nat Simm's sense of humor goes to Dianne McClintock.

We give Ronnie Knipple's car to Charlie Hassell.

Paul Lang's voice to George Siehl.

To Don Gerber we leave Dennis Walter's manly looks.

Bill Killinger's shortness has been given to Don Berkich.

Don Moshgat's P. O. D. check marks go to Sue Cardellino.

To Donna Egolf we give Jack Hale's personality.

Lester Ringler's athletic ability to Lee Marsh.

To Barbara Beam we give Nancy Burns quietness.

Dick Gerber's curls have been willed to Ardell Reiter.

Ralph Miller's Muscles to Bob Potter.

Monna Momberger's athletic ability to Joanne Pheasant.

Robert C Andrews
Witness

Class of 1953
Kathryn Long
Witness

P R O P H E C Y

Prophet - - Liz Bernat

It has been ten years since I graduated from Dale High School and here I am at last, in New York City. As I step from the train I am greeted by Elinor High, who is now the gossip columnist for one of the leading newspapers. Before I am able to catch my breath, Elinor has our whole day planned. She hustles me off to a waiting taxi and much to my surprise Ronnie Knipple is our driver. I learn, between both of them talking at once, that Roy Erb has just been elected Mayor of the City of New York, and that Janet Gindlesperger is his secretary and girl Friday.

Our first stop is Carnegie Hall, where we find Nancy Jo Grumling rehearsing for a concert with the New York Philharmonic. She is unable to stop, so we leave without talking to her. Our next stop is Central Park, and who should be working here but three of our classmates--Don Moshgat is zoo keeper, Ralph Miller is running the merry-go-round, and Tom Billick is selling peanuts. After talking to them we decide it is time for lunch. We go to a classy diner, and guess who waits on us? None other than Beverly Simpson. She says JoAnne Mock is working in the kitchen, but since they are very busy, we only get to gossip a few moments.

Elinor must leave after lunch for two very important interviews--one with John Bell, who has just returned from big game hunting in Africa, and the other with Bill Blair, who is about to publish his theory on nuclear fission.

Ronnie continues to lend his services and our next stop is Radio City Music Hall. Here we find Jack Hale rehearsing the Howdy Doody Show. After chatting with him, he directs us to a studio where Nat Simms is rehearsing the Colgate Comedy Hour with guest stars Ray Barringer, Paul Lang, and Evelyn Potter. Ray is going to do a Shakespearean skit, Paul is to sing some of the songs he's made famous and Evie is just going to look beautiful. They are too busy to be disturbed, so we continue on to the New York Receiving Hospital. Head Nurse Ruth Ankeny and her assistant Monna Momberger took us to Fred Zipf's room. Fred crashed while testing a jet plane he thought would travel 10,000 miles an hour. Ruth told us we would have to leave quickly though because Fred needed his rest.

Next we went to the Metropolitan Opera House where Charlene Geisel was making her debut in Carmen that very evening. Charlene was very excited, but we were able to have a long talk. She told me Marlene Wilson was on tour with an all girl orchestra and that Pat Wiesheier and Les Ringler were married and running a gas station in the suburbs.

As we left the Met, I saw a sign across the street announcing the opening of Gerber's Beauty Salon. One of his best customers was Nancy Jean Burns who was in New York with the Ice Show. She told me Verna Consalvo was operating a Turkish Bath and asked me to call on her.

The next person I saw was Kermit McMeans. He told us he was coaching the New York Knickerbockers and that Nick Berkich was his star. We headed for the docks next for the docking of the Liner United States. Dick Hiner was captain of this great ship and some of its passengers were former classmates. Bill Killinger was returning to America for the racing season-- he is one of the seasons best jockeys. Denny Walters had just finished making three pictures in Europe, and Howard Lee Allen had been recalled by the president, who had another very important secret mission for him in Asia.

The day was almost over, so I told Ronnie I wished to see the Brooklyn Bridge and then go to my hotel. He told me then, that the bridge was in the process of being reinforced by the Alt Construction Company. I decided against going to see the bridge, so Ronnie returned me to my hotel. I thanked him for a very busy day and I hope I never see New York again. I'm soooooo tired!

I REMEMBER - - -

The time Mr Clark taught the Senior girls to roll their spaghetti.
The cheerleaders going to the basketball games in the bus with the players
The visit of the Home Ec. class to the meat market--to become butchers.
"Shootin'" Mr. Rhoades "dead" in the Press Club Assembly.
Cupid working over time--Class of 53 loses 8 members.
When Liz told Mr. Mitchell that her sweat shirts wouldn't fit him.
Our selling projects--book covers, penants, candy, wreaths, cones, pins, etc.
The girls writing in P.O.D. without getting attitude marks.
Mr. Hoover's fire extinguisher exploding all over his new suit.
Don Hall's tall tales and Bill Blair's talking ability.
Dick Gerber's downheartedness when his girl moved to Texas.
Howard Allen flunking his driver's test (the only thing he ever did flunk.)
When the Hi Herald became a member of the Quill and Scroll.
When Seniors won individual memberships in the Quill and Scroll.
When Dale took the accusations of other schools for misbehavior.
The day we received our proofs and became members of "Rogue's Gallery."
When Verna put potato peelings in the hall at Home Ec. class.
The day the Senior girl's boots were hidden under Miss Long's desk.
Singing Christmas carols in Mr. Mitchell's English class.
When Mr. Clark became principal of the high school.
The day Mr. Mitchell sang "I Went To Your Wedding" in class.
Mr. Niles' mid-semester exam in Solid Geometry.
Painting and changing scenery for the Senior play.
The fights among our girls, and "The Big Chiefs".
The Dale Southmont football game--even Ripley had something to say.
The fun and the work connected with the Senior play.
The day Roy Erb got the giggles.
Working on the Hi Herald and the Dalion
"To bait fish withal"--(how could we forget?)
Our radio programs and Spring Concerts.
When Mr. Andrews became our football coach.
The argument we had about class advisors.
When the pulled Liz's slip out of the bag at the play.
The trouble raising money for our yearbooks.
Mr. Clark standing watch in the hall.
Football practice on the hill.
Mr. Mitchell buying pretzels during fourth period.
The fun we had the nights at the Dairy Dell.
Being measured for our caps for graduation--Oh, happy day!
Our Christmas party during our Junior year.
The activities we never had in Y-Teens.
The day we received our class rings.
When we played tag in Home Ec.
When Denny cut his hand in Shop.
Miss Long and her lost buttons.
Our interclass games (which we seldom won)
Mr. Rhoades' fish stories.
Kermit singing "High Noon" in P. O. D.
The Physics tests! Wow!!
The romance of Bev and Dick
Our picnics at Idlewild.
The start of clubs at Dale
Our skating party in ninth grade.
Tom's accident right before the play.
Pep Club initiation.
Nick always falling at the basketball games.
When Miss Long became our class advisor.
Eating in P. O. D. class
Student teachers in commercial subjects.

H O R O S C O P E

<u>Name</u>	<u>Characteristic</u>	<u>Ambition</u>	<u>Probably Be</u>
Howard Allen	Dependable	Musician	Mr. America
Bob Alt	Industrious	Engineer	Ditch digger
Ruth Ankeny	Helpful	Nurse	Pretzel twister
Ray Barringer	Independent	Steelworker	Butcher
John Bell	Carefree	Mechanic	Junk dealer
Nick Berkich	Easygoing	Naval Officer	Jockey
Liz Bernat	Neat	Psychologist	Nutcracker
Tom Billick	Excitable	Naval man	Fireman
Bill Blair	Eccentric	Male stenographer	Bank President
Nancy Burns	Sincere	Housewife	Tight rope walker
Verna Consalvo	Giggly	Typist	Farmer's wife
Roy Erb	Intellectual	Accountant	Pearl diver
Charlene Geisel	Good leader	Opera star	Torch singer
Dick Gerber	Quick-witted	A success	Grave digger
Janet Gindlesperger	Short	Stenographer	Stamp licker
Nancy Jo Grumling	Versatile	Music teacher	Piano tuner
Jack Hale	Joker	Auto racer	Cowboy
Elinor High	Talkative	Airline hostess	Chorus girl
Dick Hiner	Considerate	Naval man	Frogman
Bill Killinger	Nonchalant		Wrestler
Ronald Knipple	Jolly	Naval man	Toe dancer
Paul Lang	Diligent	Air. Engineer	Lipstick tester
Kermit McMeans	Athletic	Coach	Bubble gum tester
Ralph Miller	Quiet	Air Force	Fatman in circus
JoAnne Mock	Cooperative	Secretary	Fortune teller
Monna Momberger	Amiable	Nurse	Rat trap designer
Don Moshgat	Friendly	Naval man	Glass blower
Evelyn Potter	Petite	Secretary	Movie star
Lester Ringler	Speedy	Electrician	Circus barker
Nat Simms	Happy-Go-Lucky	Mortician	Motorcycle cop
Beverly Simpson	Peppy	Telephone operator	Bubble dancer
Dennis Walters	Unpredictable		Butterfly catcher
Pat Wiesheier	Frank	Housewife	Gossip columnist
Marlene Wilson	Aloof	Army nurse	Trombone player
Fred Zipf	Slow	Naval man	Jet pilot



Mr. Elwood Paul



Mrs. Margaret Allen



Mr. Irvin Custer



King and Queen of Hearts



The Royal Court







